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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 9, 2008, amendment to the above-identified patent application as well as the entry of the following remarks is requested. Submitted concurrently herewith is a request for an extension of time for three months. Fees will be paid by EFS web.

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